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| For: EXPANDABLE STENT AND   | ) | September 11, 2006            |
| METHOD FOR DELIVERY         | : |                               |
| OF SAME                     | ) |                               |

Attention: Certificate of Correction Branch  
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CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION  
UNDER RULE 322

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that a Certificate of Correction be issued by the Patent and Trademark Office ("Office") in respect of the above-referenced patent, due to mistakes in the patent incurred through the fault of the Office, which mistakes are clearly disclosed by the records of the Office. Therefore, this request is being made under Rule 322. A proposed Certificate of Correction is enclosed.

The errors in the claims, at column 15, are attributable to printing errors by the Office.

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**RELIEF REQUESTED**

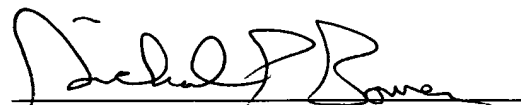
Patentees respectfully request that the attached Certificate of Correction be signed and sealed. The attached Certificate of Correction lists the following corrections:

Column 15, lines 6-8 "7. A stent system comprising a balloon catheter having an expandable portion, the expandable portion having disposed thereon the stent defined in claim 1." should read --7. A stent system comprising a balloon catheter having an expandable portion, the expandable portion having disposed thereon the stent defined in claim 6.--

Column 15, lines 32-34 "longitudinal axis of the stent, the flexure member, comprises a U-shape curving in a non-radial direction of the stent." should read --longitudinal axis of the stent, the flexure member comprising an arcuate U-shape curving in a non-radial direction of the stent.--

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It is certified that error appears in the above-mentioned patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

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